

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace paragraph [0009] with the following amended paragraph:

**[0009] In the following figures:**

Figure 1 shows a passenger car;

Figure 2 illustrates a phase of manufacture of the floor of the vehicle shown in Figure 1;

Figure 3 is a section along ~~IV-IV in Figure 3~~ III-III in Figure 2;

Figure 4 shows an enlargement of the part pointed to by the arrow A in Figure 1;

Figure 5 shows a variant embodiment;

Figure 6 is a plan view of another variant embodiment of the floor according to the invention.